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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICANT(S): Henry E. Young et al.

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FOR : PLURIPOTENT EMBRYONIC-LIKE STEM CELLS, COMPOSITIONS,  
METHODS AND USES THEREOF

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION AND  
NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated November 26, 2003 and to the Advisory Action and Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, issued in connection with the above-identified Application, please consider the following remarks. The response is due on January 29, 2004, by virtue of the attached petition for a three (3) month extension of time to respond. Should the petition or fee be inadvertently omitted, Applicants renew the petition herein by reference and request that the fee be charged to deposit Account No. 11-1153.